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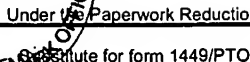
Enclosed please find an Information Disclosure Statement that was inadvertently omitted with the RCE filing package mailed to the Patent and Trademark Office on Thursday, March 30, 2006. The omission was discovered early this morning and it is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider the Information Disclosure Statement part of the RCE filing package.

Respectfully submitted,

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
FILED IN CONJUNCTION WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
EXAMINATION

This statement is filed under the provisions of Rule 1.56 and the detailing of Rules 1.97 and 1.98.

With regards to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner. The items were cited in a foreign patent search for a corresponding foreign application to the present application.

This statement should be considered because it is being submitted in conjunction with the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith. Accordingly, no fee (besides the RCE fee) is believed due for consideration of the items listed on the enclosed Form 1449.

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that a reference has been thoroughly reviewed or that any relevance of any portion of a reference is intended.

Consideration of the items listed is respectfully requested.
Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. 609, it is requested that the Examiner return a copy of the attached Form 1449, marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, to the undersigned with the next official communication.

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